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SUBJECT: CIVAIR - DISCRIMINATION AT ROME AIRPORTS

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1. DEPARTMENT LEAVES TACTICAL DECISION AS TO WHETHER
TO INCLUDE REFERENCE TO REVERSION OF GROUND HANDLING TO
AIRLINES TO EMBASSY'S JUDGMENT.

2. HOWEVER, EMBASSY SHOULD REALIZE THAT THE SENTENCE
WAS NOT INTENDED AS A THREAT, BUT RATHER TO STIMULATE
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ITALIANS' THINKING ABOUT WAYS OUT OF PRESENT IMPASSE,
IN PLACE OF ALLOWING IT TO CONTINUE INDEFINITELY.
UNLESS DEFINITIVE ADMINISTRATIVE COURT DECISION IS
FORTHCOMING SOON, ALITALIA'S POSITION WILL NOT CHANGE.
WHAT THEN CAN BE DONE TO DIMINISH OR ELIMINATE THE
PRESENT DIFFERENCE IN TREATMENT? EVEN IF OUR AIRLINES
WOULD NOT WISH TO SELF-HANDLE, THE OPTION TO DO SO

WOULD BE AN IMPORTANT TOOL IN BARGAINING WITH SAR. OF
COURSE, ONE ALTERNATIVE WOULD BE TO PROCEED IMMEDIATELY
TO RETALIATORY ACTION UNDER THE FAIR COMPETITIVE PRACTICES
ACT.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S COMMENTS ON HOW LONG WE
SHOULD ALLOW PRESENT SITUATION TO CONTINUE, AND WHAT
SUITABLE NEXT STEP MIGHT BE. VANCE

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